Westminster Parliamentary Election Communication
To ALL the voters of Greenwich & Woolwich.

ABOUT ME; Garry Bushell

My name is Garry Bushell. I was born and raised in South East London, the eldest son of a fireman and a Barclay's Bank secretary. I began my journalistic career on the rock weekly, Sounds, hitting Fleet Street in 1985. I worked at the Daily Mirror and the London Evening Standard before landing a staff job on the Sun, editing the showbiz column Bizarre. In 1987, I instigated the Number One single Let It Be, in aid of the Zeebrugge ferry tragedy. The single raised more than £1 million for the families of the disaster victims - with the help of Paul McCartney, Kate Bush, Gary Moore and scores of top pop stars.

Now self-employed, I have been TV editor and Showbusiness editor of the Sun and assistant editor of the Daily Star but perhaps my best known work is the hard-hitting TV column, Bushell On The Box, first published in July 1987. It now appears every Sunday in The People. I have written a number of successful books including Running Free, the best-selling biography of Iron Maiden, Dance Craze (The Two-Tone Story) and two crime novels, The Face and Two-Faced.

I am also vice president of Dave Lee's Happy Holidays – a charity that provides holidays for sick, disabled and underprivileged children

During my career I have also managed London rock bands The Cockney Rejects and The Blood.

I am married with five children and am a fan of Charlton Athletic.

Once a member of Greenwich Labour Party, I am now disillusioned with a party which I perceive to be lethargic, out of touch and riddled with corruption.

I am continuing my long campaign for the rights of English people to celebrate their culture, history and traditions, something, it seems, is now sadly lacking and badly in need of a resurgence.

PUTTING ENGLAND FIRST!

The English Democrats Party is a fresh, new, democratic party created by people worried about England's future: with no vested interests.

We are English patriots and we are campaigning for our liberties and for our rights to live as a sovereign nation in freedom and democracy.

Blair's Labour gave the Scots a Parliament, stating that they are a "proud and historic nation" but "there is no such nationality as English" has been John Prescott's response to any demands for recognition of our own proud and historic nation. We reject this discrimination. As a free nation we should be able to make and enforce our own laws.

We want a firm but fair immigration system – like Canada or Australia – with 100% enforcement of Deportation Orders (not the present 7%) and no voting or welfare rights for non-citizens.

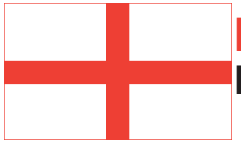
We want to make St George's Day a Bank Holiday.

We want a strong, democratic England, united and governed by its own people, from an English Parliament within the UK.

Have you wondered about:

- Is it right that England is now the only Nation within Britain to be ruled solely by the British Government, whereas Scotland, Wales and Northern Ireland are now self-governing Nations, within the UK?
- Why are there far more Westminster MPs for Scotland per voter than England, despite the fact that they can't vote on Scottish domestic issues?
- Scottish MPs should not be ministers for English only Departments; like Alistair Darling at English Transport and John Reid at our Health Service.
- Why did Gordon Brown, with Conservative and Liberal Democrat support, spend over £1,126 extra in 2003/04 on every person in Scotland than in England, when England has areas of worse deprivation than Scotland?
- Is it proper that, under the Barnett Formula, Scots should now have better education, transport and health care, free residential care, bus passes for the elderly, student grants and no top-up fees; all at the expense of the long suffering English Taxpayer? Is this the real North/South divide?
- Why should St Patrick's Day receive a subsidy of £100,000 from London's Mayor but not St George's Day and why was there a 12.9% average increase in Council Tax for England in 2003/04 but only 3.9% in Scotland?
- Why was John Prescott's first step to "improving Regional Democracy" to grab your County Council's planning powers for his un-elected Regional Assemblies – even though he lost the North-East Referendum?
- Why were "Top-Up" fees inflicted on English students using votes from Labour Scottish and Welsh MPs when in Wales and Scotland it had been rejected?

We say - only a Parliament for England will fairly settle the unfair constitutional mess that we are now in and also ensure that our politicians give proper attention to our Nation's needs.



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